JC07 Rec'd PCT/PTO 2 1 DEC 2001 FORM PTO-1390 U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office Attorney's Docket No. TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES 2640~102 DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) U.S. Application No. (1f known, see 37 CFR 1 5) **CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371** 10/018659 INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED PCT/SE01/00905 April 26, 2001 April 28, 2000 TITLE OF INVENTION A METHOD FOR SINTERING A CARBON STEEL PART USING A HYDROCOLLOID BINDER AS CARBON APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Christer Aslund Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: [X] This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371 [ ] This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 3. [X] This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. [ ] The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31). [X] A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) a. [ ] is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). \* b. [X] has been communicated by the International Bureau. ξ₫, c. [ ] is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US) ij [ ] An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). Ū a. [ ] is attached hereto. b. [ ] has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). [X] Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) U a. [ ] are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). have been communicated by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. [X ] have not been made and will not be made. [ ] An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). [X] An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 10. [ ] An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). ITEMS 11. TO 20. below concern other document(s) or information included: ] An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 12. [X] An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.

13. [X] A FIRST preliminary amendment. A FIRST preliminary amendment.

17. [ ] A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825
18. [X ] A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4) with International Search Report.
19. [ ] A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.

A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.

20. [X ] Other items or information: Application Data Sheet

] A substitute specification.

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17.	17. [X] The following fees are submitted:  Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.492)(a)(1)-(5):  Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO and International Search Report Not Prepared by EPO or JPO. \$1,040.00 International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but International Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO \$890.00 International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO \$740.00 International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO but claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$710.00 International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$100.00					PTO USE ONLY	
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<ul> <li>a. X A check in the amount of \$1,040.00 + 40.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.</li> <li>b. Please charge my Deposit Account No. 02-2135 in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</li> <li>c. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any or to Deposit Account No. 02-2135. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</li> <li>NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 Clore) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.</li> </ul>							
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